

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-6 (cancelled)

Claim 7 (currently amended) An isolated human neurotrophic-growth factor polypeptide, ~~designated enovin and having~~ said polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence illustrated in Figure 1, known as of SEQ ID NO:3, ~~No. 4, encoded by a nucleic acid molecule encoding~~ said growth factor or a functional equivalent derivative thereof.

Claim 8 (currently amended) An The isolated human neurotrophic polypeptide of claim 7, wherein the derivative has at least 90% homology to growth factor, ~~designated enovin and having the amino acid sequence known as SEQ ID No. 4, encoded by a nucleic acid molecule encoding said growth factor comprising the amino acid sequence from position 27 to 139 of the amino acid sequence illustrated in Figure 1, known as SEQ ID No. NO:3.~~

Claim 9 (currently amended) A ~~growth factor according to~~ The isolated neurotrophic polypeptide of claim 8, wherein the derivative consisting of the amino acid sequence from position 27 to 139 of the sequence illustrated in Figure 1 known as is SEQ ID NO:9 or SEQ ID NO:10 ~~No. 3.~~

Claims 10-16 (cancelled)

Claims 17-18 (withdrawn)

Claims 19-23 (cancelled)

Claims 24 (withdrawn)

Claims 25-40 (cancelled)

Claim 41 (withdrawn)

Claims 42-43 (cancelled)

Claim 44 (withdrawn)

Claims 45-57 (cancelled)

Claims 58-59 (withdrawn)